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I. (a) PLAINTIFFS

Robert C. Abrams, Jr., et al.

[See attachment for additional Plaintiffs]

(b) County of Residence of First Listed Plaintiff **Bradford**

(EXCEPT IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES)

(c) Attorneys (Firm Name, Address, and Telephone Number)

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DEFENDANTS

Chesapeake Energy Corporation, et al.

[See attachment for additional Defendants]

County of Residence of First Listed Defendant

(IN U.S. PLAINTIFF CASES ONLY)

NOTE: IN LAND CONDEMNATION CASES, USE THE LOCATION OF THE TRACT OF LAND INVOLVED.

Attorneys (If Known)

II. BASIS OF JURISDICTION (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

- ☐ 1 U.S. Government Plaintiff
- ☒ 3 Federal Question (U.S. Government Not a Party)
- ☐ 2 U.S. Government Defendant
- ☐ 4 Diversity (Indicate Citizenship of Parties in Item III)

III. CITIZENSHIP OF PRINCIPAL PARTIES (Place an "X" in One Box for Plaintiff and One Box for Defendant)

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Citizen of This State	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	<input type="checkbox"/> 1	Incorporated or Principal Place of Business In This State	<input type="checkbox"/> 4	<input type="checkbox"/> 4
Citizen of Another State	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	<input type="checkbox"/> 2	Incorporated and Principal Place of Business In Another State	<input type="checkbox"/> 5	<input type="checkbox"/> 5
Citizen or Subject of a Foreign Country	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	<input type="checkbox"/> 3	Foreign Nation	<input type="checkbox"/> 6	<input type="checkbox"/> 6

IV. NATURE OF SUIT (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

CONTRACT	TORTS	FORFEITURE/PENALTY	BANKRUPTCY	OTHER STATUTES
<input type="checkbox"/> 110 Insurance	PERSONAL INJURY	<input type="checkbox"/> 625 Drug Related Seizure of Property 21 USC 881	<input type="checkbox"/> 422 Appeal 28 USC 158	<input type="checkbox"/> 375 False Claims Act
<input type="checkbox"/> 120 Marine	<input type="checkbox"/> 310 Airplane	<input type="checkbox"/> 690 Other	<input type="checkbox"/> 423 Withdrawal 28 USC 157	<input type="checkbox"/> 376 Qui Tam (31 USC 3729(a))
<input type="checkbox"/> 130 Miller Act	<input type="checkbox"/> 315 Airplane Product Liability		PROPERTY RIGHTS	<input type="checkbox"/> 400 State Reapportionment
<input type="checkbox"/> 140 Negotiable Instrument	<input type="checkbox"/> 320 Assault, Libel & Slander		<input type="checkbox"/> 820 Copyrights	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 410 Antitrust
<input type="checkbox"/> 150 Recovery of Overpayment & Enforcement of Judgment	<input type="checkbox"/> 330 Federal Employers' Liability		<input type="checkbox"/> 830 Patent	<input type="checkbox"/> 430 Banks and Banking
<input type="checkbox"/> 151 Medicare Act	<input type="checkbox"/> 340 Marine		<input type="checkbox"/> 840 Trademark	<input type="checkbox"/> 450 Commerce
<input type="checkbox"/> 152 Recovery of Defaulted Student Loans (Excludes Veterans)	<input type="checkbox"/> 345 Marine Product Liability	LABOR	SOCIAL SECURITY	<input type="checkbox"/> 460 Deportation
<input type="checkbox"/> 153 Recovery of Overpayment of Veteran's Benefits	<input type="checkbox"/> 350 Motor Vehicle	<input type="checkbox"/> 710 Fair Labor Standards Act	<input type="checkbox"/> 861 HIA (1395ff)	<input type="checkbox"/> 470 Racketeer Influenced and Corrupt Organizations
<input type="checkbox"/> 160 Stockholders' Suits	<input type="checkbox"/> 355 Motor Vehicle Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 720 Labor/Management Relations	<input type="checkbox"/> 862 Black Lung (923)	<input type="checkbox"/> 480 Consumer Credit
<input type="checkbox"/> 190 Other Contract	<input type="checkbox"/> 360 Other Personal Injury	<input type="checkbox"/> 740 Railway Labor Act	<input type="checkbox"/> 863 DIWC/DIWW (405(g))	<input type="checkbox"/> 490 Cable/Sat TV
<input type="checkbox"/> 195 Contract Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 362 Personal Injury - Medical Malpractice	<input type="checkbox"/> 751 Family and Medical Leave Act	<input type="checkbox"/> 864 SSID Title XVI	<input type="checkbox"/> 850 Securities/Commodities/Exchange
<input type="checkbox"/> 196 Franchise		<input type="checkbox"/> 790 Other Labor Litigation	<input type="checkbox"/> 865 RSI (405(g))	<input type="checkbox"/> 890 Other Statutory Actions
		<input type="checkbox"/> 791 Employee Retirement Income Security Act		<input type="checkbox"/> 891 Agricultural Acts
REAL PROPERTY	CIVIL RIGHTS	IMMIGRATION	FEDERAL TAX SUITS	<input type="checkbox"/> 893 Environmental Matters
<input type="checkbox"/> 210 Land Condemnation	<input type="checkbox"/> 440 Other Civil Rights	<input type="checkbox"/> 462 Naturalization Application	<input type="checkbox"/> 870 Taxes (U.S. Plaintiff or Defendant)	<input type="checkbox"/> 895 Freedom of Information Act
<input type="checkbox"/> 220 Foreclosure	<input type="checkbox"/> 441 Voting	<input type="checkbox"/> 465 Other Immigration Actions	<input type="checkbox"/> 871 IRS—Third Party 26 USC 7609	<input type="checkbox"/> 896 Arbitration
<input type="checkbox"/> 230 Rent Lease & Ejectment	<input type="checkbox"/> 442 Employment			<input type="checkbox"/> 899 Administrative Procedure Act/Review or Appeal of Agency Decision
<input type="checkbox"/> 240 Torts to Land	<input type="checkbox"/> 443 Housing/Accommodations			<input type="checkbox"/> 950 Constitutionality of State Statutes
<input type="checkbox"/> 245 Tort Product Liability	<input type="checkbox"/> 445 Amer. w/Disabilities - Employment			
<input type="checkbox"/> 290 All Other Real Property	<input type="checkbox"/> 446 Amer. w/Disabilities - Other			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 448 Education			
	PRISONER PETITIONS			
	Habeas Corpus:			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 463 Alien Detainee			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 510 Motions to Vacate Sentence			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 530 General			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 535 Death Penalty			
	Other:			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 540 Mandamus & Other			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 550 Civil Rights			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 555 Prison Condition			
	<input type="checkbox"/> 560 Civil Detainee - Conditions of Confinement			

V. ORIGIN (Place an "X" in One Box Only)

- ☒ 1 Original Proceeding
- ☐ 2 Removed from State Court
- ☐ 3 Remanded from Appellate Court
- ☐ 4 Reinstated or Reopened
- ☐ 5 Transferred from Another District (specify)
- ☐ 6 Multidistrict Litigation

VI. CAUSE OF ACTION

Cite the U.S. Civil Statute under which you are filing (Do not cite jurisdictional statutes unless diversity):

15 U.S.C. Secs. 1, 2, 15 & 26; 18 U.S.C. Secs. 1962 & 1964

Brief description of cause:

Restraint of Trade and Conspiracy to Monopolize; Civil Racketeering (RICO); supplemental claims

VII. REQUESTED IN COMPLAINT:☐ CHECK IF THIS IS A CLASS ACTION UNDER RULE 23, F.R.Cv.P.**DEMAND \$**

CHECK YES only if demanded in complaint:

JURY DEMAND:☒ Yes ☐ No**VIII. RELATED CASE(S) IF ANY**

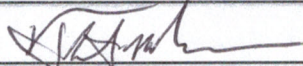
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JUDGE Hon. Malachy Mannion

DOCKET NUMBER 3:15-cv-00340-MEM

DATE
06/28/2016

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Attachment to Civil Cover Sheet

Robert C. Abrams, Jr., et al. v. Chesapeake Energy Corporation, et al.

Plaintiffs:

Robert C. Abrams, Jr., and Sonya M. Abrams

James M. Allen

Theodore R. Babcock and Connie R. Babcock

Dale G. Bennett and Donna M. Bennett t/a D+D Bennett

Partners Limited Partnership

Thomas E. Blanchard and Margaret K. Blanchard

William T. Bohensky, Jr., and Laura G. Bohensky

Charles W. Brown, Jr.

Jan Robert Brown

Marilyn Bryan a/k/a Marilyn H. Snyder Bryan and Thomas Bryan

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Marjorie E. Snyder Kisner and Jesse Kisner

Anthony J. Latini and Melissa L. Latini

Latini Management, LLC, t/a Latini Resources, LP

Michael J. McGroarty a/k/a Michael McGroarty and Margaret M. McGroarty

Edward F. McKernan and Deborah H. McKernan, Joseph E. McKernan, and

Joseph T. McKernan

Earl C. Miller and Ann L. Miller

Randy L. Morse and Virginia K. Morse

Gary R. Norconk, Sharon M. Norconk, and Linda L. Kisner, Individually and
t/a Norconk Family Limited Partnership
Kevin R. Potter and Donna E. Potter
Raymond J. Raffin and Mary Ann Raffin, Individually and as Trustees of
The Raffin Family Trust dated April 10, 2003
April A. Rine and Jeffrey J. Rine
Joyce Ann Rohe
Melvin E. Rohe, Jr.
Michael B. Saxe, Individually and t/a Marcellus Five Family Limited Partnership,
Thomas Schmeckenbecher, Individually and t/a Thomas
Schmeckenbecher Family, LP
Scott R. Shores and Laura K. Shores
James Swingle, Jr. and Susan Swingle
Betty J. Them
William W. Them, Trustee of the William W. Them Living Trust
Towanda Country Club
Robert W. Watkins
Wickward Management, LLC, t/a Wickward Resources, LP
Gary Wickwire
Scott A. Wickwire, t/a Wickwire Family Limited Partnership
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Defendants:

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Chesapeake Appalachia, L.L.C.
Chesapeake Energy Marketing, Inc.
Chesapeake Operating, L.L.C., as successor by merger to and f/k/a Chesapeake Operating, Inc.
Anadarko Petroleum Corporation
Anadarko E&P Onshore LLC, successor by conversion to and f/k/a Anadarko E&P Company, L.P.
Williams Partners, LP, f/k/a Access Midstream Partners, L.P. (formerly known as Chesapeake Midstream Partners, L.P.)
Access MLP Operating, L.P.
Appalachia Midstream Services, L.L.C.
Mitsui E&P USA LLC